(*e*) whether they will make any arrangement for compensating the families of the deceased ?

A.—**Sri H. SIDDAIYA** (Minister for Revenue and Excise).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Six. For details, *vide* statement printed below.

(*c*) Nineteen.

(*d*) Medical reports are awaited.

(*e*) The families of the deceased may claim compensation from the Insurance Company with which the bus has been insured against third party risks.

Statement furnishing details of persons who died in the bus accident.

1. Sri Nanjegowda, son of Sri Gundegowda, Waddarahally, Hole-Narsipur Taluk. Age 30 years. Died on the spot.
2. Sri Kalappa, son of Sri Sanna Puttegowda, Waddarahally, Hole-Narasipur Taluk. Age 45 years. Died on the spot.
3. Sri Nanjappa Setty, son of Sri Neelanna Setty, Attichowdanahalli. Age 50 years. Died in the Hospital at Hole-Narsipur.
4. Sri Mylara Setty, son of Sri Gurulinga Setty, Attichowdanahalli, Hole-Narasipur Taluk. Age 30 years. Died on the spot.
5. Sri Neelakantasetty, Attichowdanahally, Age 40 years. Died on the way to the District Hospital, Hassan.
6. Sri Giddegowda, son of Sri Kempanna, Mallethalenahally, Hole-Narasipur Taluk. Age 35 years. Died on the spot.

Filling up of vacancies in the Legislative Assembly.

Q.*—147. **Sri S. C. SOORYANARAYANA CHETTY (Hassan District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) how many seats are vacant in the Mysore Legislative Assembly ;

(*b*) how many by resignations ;

(*c*) how many by disqualifications ;

(*d*) whether a chance was given to those who lost their seats by disqualifications to express their views ;

(*e*) when elections will be held to fill up those vacancies ;

(*f*) who the electors will be ?

A.—**Sri K. T. BHASHYAM** (Minister for Law and Labour).—

(*a*) Five.

(*b*) Four.

(*c*) One.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) The Mysore Legislative Assembly Election Rules require certain modifications and adaptations in view of the fact that under Article 324 of the Constitution of India, the superintendence and control of the conduct of all elections to the State Legislature vest in the Election Commission, India. The Government of India have been addressed in the matter and the orders of the President of India under Article 388 (2) of the Constitution, modifying the Election Rules are awaited. Immediately on receipt of the Presidential Order and instructions from the Election Commission, steps will be taken to hold the bye-elections.

(*f*) The persons who for the time being are included in the electoral roll of the constituency in which the Election is held.

Grant of assessed wet and dry banjar lands in Hassan District.

Q.*—149. **Sri B. N. BORANNA GOWDA (Hassan District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of acres of assessed wet and dry banjar lands in the Hassan District ;

(*b*) the persons to whom these lands have been given since October 1949 ;

(*c*) the persons to whom lands have been granted in Halebid and Madihalli Hoblis of Belur Taluk ;

(*d*) whether these lands were given to these people because the Depressed Class people and the people of the locality did not want them ;

(*e*) whether it is possible to furnish the names of persons to whom lands have been given ;

(*f*) the extent of lands so disposed of ;

(*g*) whether the lands were disposed of according to rules relating to darkhast and auction ;

(*h*) the extent of lands owned by the persons who have got the lands and